

Amendments to the specification:

On page 8, please amend the paragraph contained in lines 10-20 as follows:

Part of an on-off switch 18 is integrated into the top handle 12, namely an actuating button 76 supported in mobile fashion at the end of the top handle 12 oriented toward the shorter leg 36 (FIGS. 5 and 6). The actuating button 76 is coupled to an end of a rocker switch 78 of the on-off switch 18, which rocker switch 78 extends in the longitudinal direction through the top handle 12 and is supported in pivoting fashion at a bearing point 80 situated approximately in the middle of the top handle 12 in its longitudinal direction. A second end of the rocker switch 78 is coupled to an actuator rod 82 of the on-off switch 18. The locking pin 26 of the fastening device 14 has an actuator rod guide 118 integrated into it; the actuator rod 82 is in fact guided inside the hollow, tubular locking pin 26 (Fig 6).